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2. Two additional recruiters are being added--one in

[ ] is under contract as OP's first "auxiliary recruiter," and he will work in the [ ] area. [ ] will begin working part time in [ ] as an Office of Communications and DDS&T recruiter, and [ ] will take over as the full-time recruiter in that area. [ ]

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3. Security has received 116 cases, 74 are in process, 22 have been approved, 3 disapproved, and 17 cancelled. The Pilot Program has received 4 cases, 1 has been approved, and 3 are still in process (including 1 before the Applicant Review Panel). One processing day was lost last week because of a computer malfunction, and Security is beginning to see the loss of time on local cases because of the summer-only program. [ ]

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4. The CT Staff reported there were 126 DDO CT applicants in process (with 25 cancellations), and the goal for this time frame is 130. These 25 cancellations are not unusually high as we expect 2 out of every 3 will drop out during the processing period. The United Airlines strike is causing difficulty, both getting recruitment assistance to [ ] and bringing CT applicants to this area. [ ]

5. The Office of Personnel will send a cable to the recruiters advising them that the age criterion can be

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relaxed for CTs. The details of the type of program these younger, less-experienced employees will enter are under consideration. [ ]

6. [ ] will meet with approximately 20 former CTs who are 3 to 5 years into the program to solicit any ideas they might have regarding the future of the CT Program. The [ ] is assisting with arrangements to visit companies in [ ] and possibly [ ] for CT related discussions. [ ]

7. [ ] mentioned the Directorate of Operations is considering sending a senior Agency or ex-Agency officer as a guest speaker at foreign affairs or foreign service oriented colleges to reach the audience who would normally take the Foreign Service exam. [ ]

8. The time from log-in of files in Recruitment Division to log-in of files in the CT Staff has been reduced from nearly three to one-and-a-half weeks. [ ]

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Executive Secretary  
Task Force

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